

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 0600 March 9 2015 to 1800 March 9 2015



Sunset along Mt Shasta, Siskiyou County.

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Note: [Report changes/updates are in blue](#)



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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Weather of Concern**

- No significant Weather Watches or Warnings are in effect.

**Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:** [http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php)

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

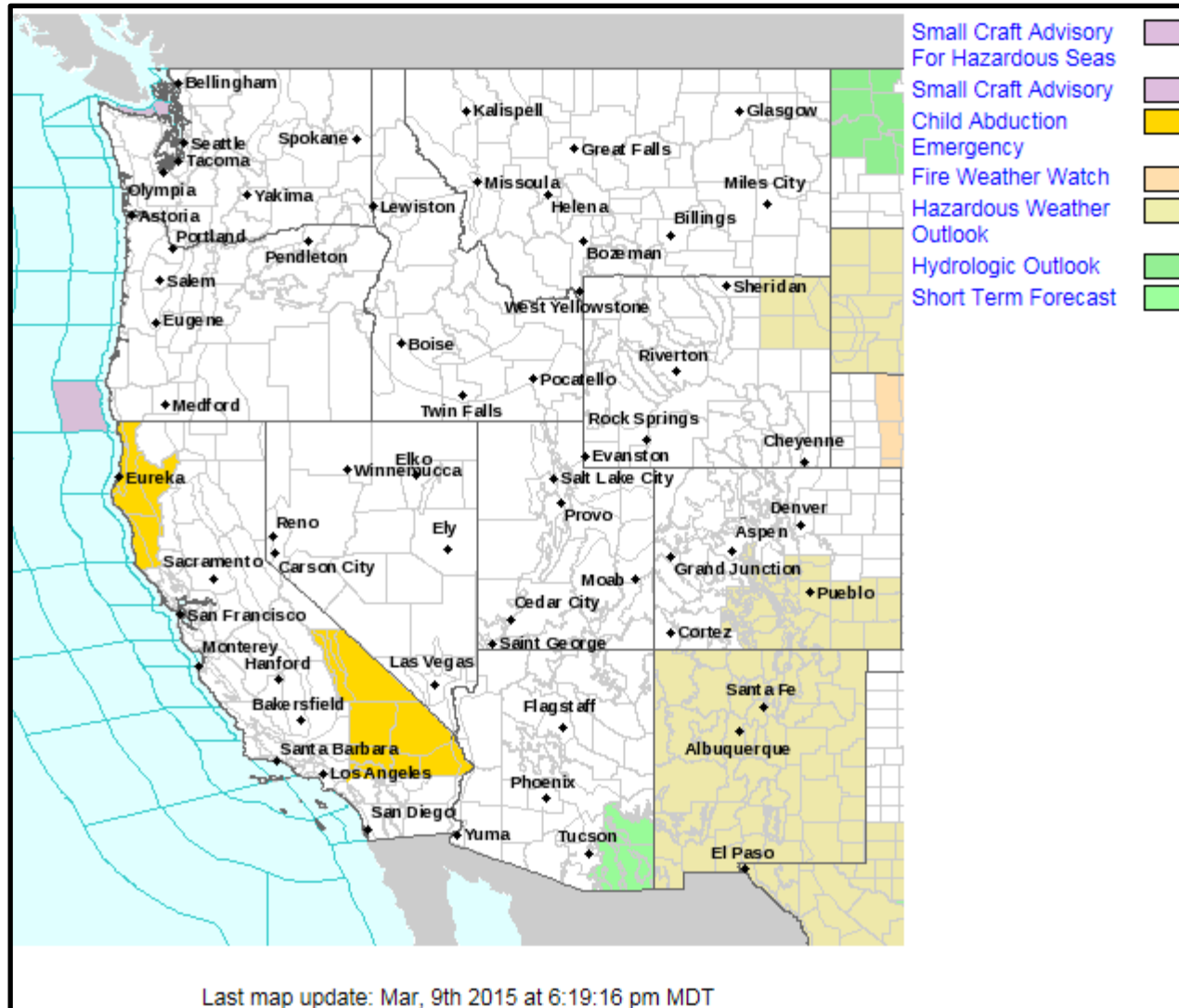
### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

We will have another dry, mild day across Northern California with unseasonably warm afternoon temperatures. The high pressure ridge that has been with us for some time will weaken overnight. Cloudiness will increase Tuesday, and some light showers are expected ashore overnight in the northwest areas. The system will move inland Wednesday and is likely to bring some light precipitation to many areas in the northern 2/3rds of Northern California and a few showers to the southern 1/3. High pressure will rebound along the West Coast Thursday then already be well to the east Friday as another low pressure trough approaches the coast. That system will be dry at first for most of Northern California with some light precipitation near the Oregon border during the day Saturday, then Saturday night it is expected to spread more precipitation across all areas. Sunday morning may see some lingering precipitation in the south and east, but by late afternoon, skies should be clearing somewhat in most areas. Afternoon temperatures will continue to be well above the seasonal norm today inland, but they will be cooler the rest of the 7 day period. Wednesday and Sunday will probably be the only days with near or even slightly below normal temperatures. Afternoon winds will generally be pretty light and mostly southerly over the next week, although some light to moderate northerly winds will be in place Thursday.

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

High pressure off the California Coast will slowly move inland and weaken causing temperatures to be 10 to 15 degrees above normal away from the coast through Tuesday, with upper 50s and 60s in the mountains and mid 70s to mid 80s in the valleys. Minimum humidity will be between 12% and 25% away from the coast and San Joaquin Valley through Tuesday. The marine layer is around 1,500 feet deep and morning low clouds and fog will make it part way into the coastal valleys through Tuesday. A Pacific trough will bring 5 to 10 degrees of cooling to locations away from the coast Wednesday. This trough will also bring scattered showers mainly to Central California Wednesday. Most locations will receive less than a quarter inch of rainfall, but the Central Sierra and its associated foothills will receive up to a half inch of rainfall. Westerly winds of 10 to 20 mph with gusts to 35 mph will surface across the desert passes Wednesday afternoon. High pressure will return Thursday through this weekend bringing a warming and drying trend to the region. Temperatures will be 15 to 20 degrees above normal over the weekend with low 90s over the valley locations of Southern California. Offshore winds of 10 to 20 mph with gusts to 35 mph will surface across the mountains and below the canyons and passes of Southern California Thursday morning through Saturday morning.

# STATE WEATHER MAP



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 1**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

# **RECOVERY ACTIVITIES**

## **Round Fire, Inyo and Mono Counties**

- On 03/03/15, Recovery Individual Assistance (IA) staff conducted a joint County, Cal OES IA, and U.S. Small Business Administration Preliminary Damage Assessment. The damage assessment revealed at least 25 homes and/or businesses have uninsured losses of at least 40 percent of their value. Cal OES submitted a letter on behalf of Mono County to SBA requesting approval of a disaster declaration.
- The American Red Cross and Salvation Army continue to offer their support services.
- [Recovery Debris Management Coordinator deployed to Mono County for debris management group meeting and site walk-through.](#)

# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate a [monthly](#) state interagency conference call regarding drought community impacts.
- Cal OES Regional (Inland, Coastal, Southern) conference calls continue to occur once a month.
- Cal OES Region/Recovery Call frequencies will change on and as needed basis.
- [On 03/07/15, the Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison deployed to Tulare County to support the county with drought outreach efforts in the Porterville area returned to home base.](#)



# CAL OES MISSIONS

## Cal OES Missions – Ongoing

- **2015-LAW-8802, 3/6/15 @ 1330 hours** (reopened) - Yolo County SO has requested Underwater Remote Operated Vehicle and/or Dive team resources to assist in locating potential evidence in the homicide investigation of a 27 day old infant. LDO is coordinating with several agencies to assist with securing these resources in order to search a specific location of a slough on either Monday or Tuesday of this coming week. **Update: 3/9/15: LDO secured Sacramento DART for dive operations today, 3/9/15. Mission Ongoing**





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We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

*We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.*